

116th ANNUAL SQUAM DAY

Friday, August 4th, 2017

Annisquam Yacht Club

NOTICE OF RACE

1. RULES

This event will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing for 2016-2020* (RRS) and this Notice of Race, except as modified in the Sailing Instructions and any appendices.

2. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

The regatta is open to all boats of the Optimist, 420, Sturdee Cat, and Annisquam Fish class. There will be two divisions of the Optimist fleet: Green and Championship. Optis will declare their division at registration. All boats may enter by completing a registration form, accessible on the website, and returning it to the Race Office by noon on the day of the event. There is no entry fee.

3. SCHEDULE

10:30-12:00	Registration at the AYC clubhouse
11:00-12:30	Chowder
12:00	Skippers' meetings, 420s and Optis
13:30	Warning Signal
16:00 or post-race	Award Ceremony

One Race Will Constitute A Regatta

4. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Sailing Instructions will be available at registration.

5. SCORING

The Low Point Scoring System will be used. One race will constitute a regatta. If more than 5 races are sailed, a boat's worst score will be discarded.

6. PRIZES

Prizes will be awarded as follows: Fish: 1st place; Sturdee Cats:

1st – 5th In Opti Green & Championship Class 1st – 5th In 420 Class

7. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS 4, Decision to Race. The Annisquam Yacht Club will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.

8. Safety Regulations

Each competitor is required to wear a USCG approved PFD while on the water and the yacht club docks.

Each competitor is to check in on the starboard side of the race committee boat prior to the first start.

Competitors retiring from a race, or not starting a race, shall notify the race committee

9. FURTHER INFORMATION

Further Information and any questions can be answered by AYC Program Director at the email below.

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